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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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3B8 - Darren, G0TSM will be active holiday style as 3B8/G0TSM from Mauritius Island (AF-049) on 18-28 September. He hopes to operate SSB, CW and RTTY for 2-3 hours a day, running 100 watts into simple wire antennas on 40-10 metres and a 2-element quad on 6 metres. The log will be uploaded to LOTW and Club Log during the holiday. As for QSLing, please use the OQRS on Club Log for bureau or direct cards, and refrain from sending paper QSLs. Also requests for bureau cards can be made via email (daz[@]g0tsm.com). [TNX G0TSM]

3B9 - Verona DX Team's members Lucio I3LDP, Walter I3VJW, Alex IK5MIC, Rony IZ3KIF and Ilario IZ3STA will be active as 3B9EME from Rodrigues Island (AF-017) on 2-13 September. They will operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres with two stations, as well as EME on 50, 144 e 432 MHz. QSL via I3LDP. Further information at http://www.ari.verona.it/veronadxteam/3b9_2013.htm.

9A - Jan, PA4JJ will be active holiday style as 9A/PA4JJ from Porec (Croatian mainland) from 26 August to 4 September. Expect him to operate mainly digital modes. QSL via home call (OQRS on www.pa4jj.nl). [TNX PA4JJ]

9M2 - The Malaysian Special Expedition Team (<http://9m2se.blogspot.com>) will be active again as 9M2SE from Indah Island (AS-074) on 31 August until 9 UTC on 1 September. The activity is in celebration of the 56th anniversary of Malaysia's independence. They will operate CW and SSB on 40-10 metres, running 100 watts into a vertical and a tribander yagi. QSL details on qrz.com [TNX 9M2PJU]

BY - CAMSAT (AMSAT China) will hold "a big DX party" from the outskirts of the city of Dunhuang in northwestern China (Zone 23, WWL NM79aw) on 19-28 October. Alan, BA1DU and a very large group of operators coming from all over the country will be active with four well equipped stations: one for 2 and 6 metres, one for 70 centimetres and two for 160-10 metres. Meteor Scatter and EME activity will be emphasized (this will include participation in the ARRL EME Contest), as well activity on the low bands. Special callsign BJ9TA will be used for operating above 50 MHz and on the low bands, while BY9GA/9 will be used for the other bands and for participation in the CQ WW SSB Contest. QSL via BA1DU. [TNX BA1DU]

EA - Manolo, EA5HJY will be active on SSB and digital modes as EG5VCE during the 68th Vuelta Ciclista a Espana, the long distance road bicycle race (Tour of Spain) to be held from 24 August to 15 September. QSL via bureau to EA7HBC.

EA - Gabriel, EA3AKA and Manel, EA3EGB will be active as EF3EGB from the Medas Islands (EU-078) from 30 August to 2 September. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on the HF bands and 6 metres with two stations. QSL via EA3EGB. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

FO - Jean-Marc, F5LCI is working on Hao Atoll (OC-066), French Polynesia until 8 November. He operates QRP as FO/F5LCI on 40-10 CW and JT65-JT9. QSL direct to home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

GW - Derek, G3KHZ and Steve, G4EDG operated from St Tudwal's West Island (EU-106) back in May 2006. Since then the owner of this private island has not allowed anyone to visit. "We are pleased to announce that the two of us have been given special permission to make a repeat trip", Derek says. "Dates are not finalised yet but we will probably be QRV for 3 or 4 days commencing around 6 September". Expect GW3KHZ/p to be a CW only operation. QSL via G3KHZ. [TNX G3KHZ]

HC - Mauro, IZ1DPS is active as HC/IZ1DPS from Ecuador until January 2014. So far he has been QRV on 20, 17 and 15 metres CW. QSL via IK2DUW.

HC8 - Geoff, G8OFQ is active as HC8/G8OFQ from the Galapagos Islands (SA-004) until the end of September. He operates SSB only on 40-10 metres, "between 22.00 and 06.00 UTC during the week and long during the weekends". QSL via home call. [TNX The Daily DX]

I - The Calabria DX Team will be active as II8LH from the lighthouses at Capo Spartivento on 24 August and at Capo Trionto on the 25th. QSL via HB9FHZ (bureau) or IK8YFU (direct), LoTW and eQSL.

J3 - JA1MZL (AE6AU), JH1ROJ (KG8XV), JJ1LIB (N1GO), JN1RVS (K6NAO) and JN3NFQ (K1GI) will be active from Grenada on 21-29 November. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 160-10 metres, and to participate in the CQ WW CW Contest. "We are negotiating with NTRC to obtain the special event call sign for our operation", Isao JH1ROJ says. A dedicated website is under construction. QSL via JA1HGY (OQRS to be activated on Club Log) and LoTW. [TNX JH1ROJ]

JY - Jovica, E78A (ex 6W1SJ, 9K2/T94FC, ST0RM, ST2A, T94FC, T98A, TT8JT) is now active as JY9FC from Amman, Jordan. He operates mainly CW with some SSB and digital modes during his spare time. QSL via E73Y, direct or bureau (OQRS to be activated on Club Log). [TNX E73Y]

PA - Fred, PA1FJ will be active as SV8/PA1FJ/p from Chios Island (EU-049) from 29 August to 9 September. He will operate QRP on 40-6 metres SSB and CW. QSL via bureau to home call. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

PA - Look for Marcel, PD5MVH to be active on the HF bands as PD5MVH/p from Schiermonnikoog Island (EU-038) from 31 August and 14 September. QSL via home call, bureau or direct. [TNX VA3RJ]

VE - Bodo, DF8DX will be active as VE7/DF8DX from Bowen Island (NA-091) on 25-26 August. He will operate CW only. QSL via DF8DX. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

W - Bodo, DF8DX will be active as KT3Q/7 from Vashon Island (NA-065) on 24 August. He will operate CW only, looking for him around 14040 kHz. QSL via DF8DX. [TNX rsgbiota.org]

YB - Reportedly Kadek, YB9BU might be active as YB9BU/8, along with YB8RW/p and YC8TM/p, from Gangga Island (OC-236) between 30 August and 2 September.

YB - The schedule for a few forthcoming IOTA operations from Indonesia looks a bit fluid.
* On 17 August JN6RZM reported that after the operations from IOTA groups OC-122 (YE5T, 28 August - 1 September) and OC-109 (YE5S, 4-8

September) [425DXN 1162], YB5NOF had plans to be active from Anambas Island (OC-108) around mid-September.

* On 20 August Imam, YB4IR reported on qrz.com that he and a team from ORARI will be active as YE5R from Anambas Island (OC-108) on 15-20 September.

* On 23 August YB5NOF told JN6RZM that, owing to transportation issues, the new itineary should be OC-122, then OC-108 followed by OC-109.

Keep an eye on JN6RZM's blog (<http://jn6rzm.cocoloq-nifty.com/>) and on the DX cluster!

YB - Look for YF1AR/9, YB0AI/9 and YB3MM/9 to be active from Kimaam Island (aka Pulau Yos Sudarso, Pulau Dolok, Pulau Dolak, Kolepom Island and Frederik Hendrik Island), claimed to qualify for the Irian Jaya's Coastal Islands South group (OC-275, new one for IOTA) on 10-16 September. They will operate SSB, CW and digital modes on 40-10 metres, with two stations running 100 watts and one station running 1 kW. QSL YF1AR/9 via N200, QSL YB0AI/9 via home call (direct), QSL YB3MM/9 see qrz.com. Further information at www.yflar.com [TNX YF1AR]

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5C0CE ---> The 20-21 August 5C0CE activity [425DXN 1161] has been blocked at the last minute by Moroccan authorities, F6FQK reports. The reason is unknown. This was expected to be an operation organized by the Council of Europe Radio Amateur Club in partnership with the Association Royale des Radio-Amateurs du Maroc.

9M6DXX GOING QRT ---> "After more than eight years in Malaysia, my wife Eva, 9M6EVA, and I have decided to move on to another part of the world. We leave Malaysia on 1 November, therefore 9M6DXX will go QRT some time in October. 9M8Z has already closed down; the last QSO from that station was made in the RSGB IOTA Contest in July. We will be moving to Bonaire and we hope to be active with PJ4 callsigns before the end of the year". [TNX 9M6DXX/G4JVG]

CLUB LOG OQRS SURVEY ---> The results from the survey about bureau cards and online QSL requests [425DXN 1159] are now available on G7VJR's website at <http://g7vjr.org/2013/08/club-log-oqrs-survey-results/>

DXCC NEWS ---> D2CT (Angola, 2013 operation) has been approved for DXCC credit. [TNX NC1L]

DXPEDITION OF THE YEAR POLL ---> The Clipperton DX Club's "DXpedition of the Year" poll for 2012-13 is now open until 8 September at <http://wp.cdxcc.org/>. The operations selected for the poll are those supported by the Club and with at least one CDXC member in the team. [TNX F5CWU]

TX5K ---> "The QSL manager has informed me that the goal date for TX5K LoTW upload is 1 October". [TNX KY6R]

VK5CE/P ---> Craig, VK5CE has posted a day by day account and a few pictures of his recent activity as VK5CE/p from Flinders Island (OC-261) on his blog (<http://oc261.blogspot.com.au/>). QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

XZ1Z ---> The logsearch and OQRS for the 13-16 August operation from Myanmar are now available on Club Log. 2313 QSOs were made on 20m (1356) and 17 (957) metres SSB.

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3B8FA	NI5DX	EH7FDM	EA7DN	PY2VA	I8LWL
3Z2LH	SQ2WHH	EI0CAR	EI4JR	R100RQA	RN1ON
3Z3P	SQ9PPO	EI0LHL	EI4GXB	R290ECH	RD9CX
4A1TD	XE1GZU	EJ4INIS	EI8DD	R290ELE	RX9CBS
4K20RO	4K6RO	EJ9FBB	EI9FBB	R290EOC	RU9CZ
4L6QC	LZ1OT	EK6TA	DJ0MCZ	R290EOR	RU9CK
4O7CC	UA4CC	EM110U	US5UFF	R290EVI	RV9CQ
5T0JL	ON8RA	EM70LI	UT3LI	R290EZH	RW9CC
6V7O	F8DFP	EN1025UB	UR5UB	R70DON	R6MI
7S0SFJ	SK0QO	EN1IFF	UR3IQT	R70TAR	RW6MK
7S5LH	SM5ZCI	EO73U	UT7UU	R863LX	RW3LX
7X2GK	IK2DUW	ER4DX	RA4LW	RI1FJ	UA2FM
7Z1HL	DJ9ZB	ET3AA	N2OO	RO70BK	R6MI
7Z1TT	NI5DX	FK8GX	W3HNK	RO70DZ	UA6LKW
8P9AZ	WB2JUF	GB0NHL	GM0TKB	RO70EL	RZ6LY
8S0C	SM0MPV	GB1DLH	GB1FBS	RO70KS	R6MR
8S6VAN	SM6JSM	GB2CAS	MM5PSL	RO70NC	UA6LUF
8S7GL	SK7CA	GB2ELH	MM5PSL	RO70RO	RL6LP
9A281CRT	9A7R	GB2LBN	GM4UYZ	RO70SK	UA6LJG
9A8WTW	I2Z5WTW	GB4WIL	G4USW	RW0AJ	W3HNK
9H3MMM	KE1B	GB5PSL	2E0ZDX	S21R	N4VA
9H3NN	W6NN	GC0OBS	G4WMH	S521EB	S58Q
9K2GS	EA5KB	H40IOTA	NR6M	S544EB	S54G
9M2CNC	G4ZFE	H44J	JA0AOA	S546EB	S50E
9M2MI	9M2YOT	HA21WFF	HA6PJ	SD7V	DL2VFR
9M2QQ	DF5UG	HA5BTA	F6BAT	SF6LGT	SK6NL
9M4LHC	9M2RDX	HA75KBF	HA5KBF	SN0LIW	SP5SMY
9M4LHJ	9W2BUG	HC2AO	RC5A	SN0ROZ	SP2GCE
9M4LHM	9M8WAT	HC2IOH	IK2OHG	SN16LH	SP1ZZ
9M4LHN	9W2PD	HC2SL	HD2A	SN2NP	SP2BIK

9M8DX/2	SP5UAF	HF450NS	SP3KEY	SN330VW	SP9KJU
9N1AA	N4AA	HF7BOL	SQ9NIU	SO1CC	DL1CC
9V1YC	W5UE	HG3IPA	HA3JB	SO1RE	DK8RE
9X0ZM	JO1CRA	HP2TP	HP1RCP	SV5/EM5F	UR5FAV
AO8LH	EA8AKN	HP3AK	W4JS	T40C	EA7FTR
AT13LH	VU2JHM	HS0ZGD	LA7JO	T49C	K8SIX
C31CT	EA3QS	HV0A	IK0FVC	T6MH	W2GR
C5WP	ON7WP	HZ1PS	IZ8CLM	TM0LHG	PA0HEL
CE0ZOL	CE3RAC	HZ1XB	IZ8CLM	TM20RSX	F5KFL
CE2SQE	EA5KB	II1L	IQ1GE	TM57YL	F-11734
CM3DSE	RW6HS	IL3V	I3BQC	TM5CVA	F5TLF
CN2LW	HB9EOU	IQ8IS	IZ8AWQ	TM5CX	F5NED
CN8PA	EA7FTR	JY5MM	IK2DUW	TM5SIA	F5KCC
CP4DL	KD7TO	JY9FC	E73Y	TU5DF	F5SWB
CQ7GIL	CS1AAM	KF7QCZ/KH2	JP1HUJ	V25SB	N1BKB
CQ7LW	CT1EWA	KH0/K3BI	JJ3AZA	V31MA	M0OXO
CR5FB	CT2IUB	KP4LH	KP4UNO	V31PA/p	DL1CW
CR5LSV	CT5KAO	LA190B	LA1B	V55V	DJ8VC
CR6FNA	CT1MH	LY777A	LY5A	VK5CWL	VK5PAS
CR6LH	CT1GZB	LZ2013IPA	LZ3HI	VK7LH	VK3KLB
CS2HNI	CT1RVM	MC0NSC	GW0VSW	XQ1FM	EA5GL
CU6GRP	CU6AB	OR9W/p	ON4CB	XU7TZG	ON7PP
CV1T	EA5KB	OU1RAEM	DF5LW	XV5HS	EA5ZD
CV5A	CX2ABC	OV6ZM	DL6LZM	XW0YJY	E21EIC
CW5X	CX2ABC	OX5YL	PA5YL	XZ1Z	JH1AJT
CX2DK	EA5GL	OZ13LH	DL1UWE	YB8HZ	YB8BRI
D7G	6L0NJ	OZ6SYL	OZ7AGR	YF1AR/1	N2OO
E44PM	HB9IQB	P29FR	I2RFJ	YI1RZ	IK2DUW
E6ST	EA5GL	P29NO	EA5GL	YW5X	DM4TI
EG1SAU	EA1HNP	PA25SCH	PD2RKG	Z21LS	DE1ZHB
EG3RD	EA3GYT	PA6SAIL	PA3GEO	Z21MA	PA3HHT
EG7FPM	EA7RCM	PA800GTB	PA1BM	ZB2LGT	ZB2JK
EG8HKT	EA8RCK	PJ2/IW1FC	IZ1MLQ	ZM4B	ZL2BR
EH1LHA	EA1RKA	PJ2L	EB7DX	ZS8Z	ZS1HF

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